HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 451

By Harrison

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Ashlynn Nichole Hodge, 2015 Valedictorian of Clinch School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Ashlynn Nichole Hodge is one such exceptional student, who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2015 graduating class at Clinch School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Hodge achieved outstanding academic success and joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ashlynn Hodge earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities. She enjoys horseback riding and swimming, and aspires to open a no-kill animal shelter; and

WHEREAS, Ashlynn Hodge's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Shannon and Shelly Greene, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ashlynn Hodge's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2015 Clinch School Valedictorian, Ashlynn Nichole Hodge, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared
for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.